



Fire and Rescue Services Act 2004

2004 CHAPTER 21

PART 3

ADMINISTRATION

Supervision

26 Information

A fire and rescue authority must—

- (a) submit to the Secretary of State any reports and returns required by him;
- (b) give the Secretary of State any information with respect to its functions required by him.

27 Inquiries

The Secretary of State may cause an inquiry to be held into—

- (a) the manner in which a fire and rescue authority is discharging any of its functions;
- (b) the circumstances of, or the steps taken to deal with, a fire, road traffic accident or emergency of another kind in relation to which a fire and rescue authority has functions under this Act.

28 Inspectors

- (1) Her Majesty may by Order in Council appoint inspectors, and the Secretary of State may appoint assistant inspectors and other officers, for the purpose of obtaining information as to—
 - (a) the manner in which fire and rescue authorities are discharging their functions;
 - (b) technical matters relating to those functions.
- (2) The Secretary of State may pay to persons appointed under this section remuneration determined by him.

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

- (3) A person appointed under section 24 of the Fire Services Act 1947 (c. 41) is to be taken to have been appointed under this section.